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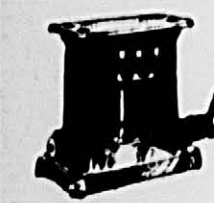
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Notices

Several books have been picked up about the Science Building. Owners may get them by applying at the janitor's office.

The meeting of the Medical Society will be held on Friday, December 11th. This will be the last meeting for the term. Dr. Charles H. Martin will be the speaker.

The following men are requested to meet in Rice's Studio to-day at 1.15 p.m. sharp. All must bring their track suits with them: Cushing, White, Fraser (C.), Marsh, Parsons, Farthing, Smelzer, Hovey, Rutherford, Heron, Hutchison, Crombie, Frazer, Sutherland, Skinner, Al-berga, Legault.
Tom Graydon must also be on hand with his smile. All those who won their M's should wear them.

The orchestra concert on Sunday will commence at 4 p.m. The soloist will be Miss Olive Williams.

Orchestra practice to-night at 7.30 in Union Music Hall. All members please be on hand, as this is an important practice and the last this year.

A meeting of the Athletic Association Executive will be held at 4.30 on Tuesday.

The Executive of the Athletic Association will meet at Rice's Studio at 1 p.m. on Wednesday.

Principal Peterson will lecture to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church (corner of Prince Arthur and Mance streets), on "The Causes of the Present War."

LOST

On Thursday morning, December 3rd, a fountain pen. Finder please return to the hall porter.

FOUND

Found, a knife on east side of campus. Owner can have same on application to Harry, Janitor Science Building.

GOOD PROGRAM WILL BE GIVEN BY ORCHESTRA

Students' Orchestra to Hold a Sacred Concert on Sunday Afternoon

BIG ATTENDANCE IS HOPED FOR

Last Concert of the Year Will be Well Worth Hearing

A sacred concert will be held Sunday, December 6, 1914, at 4 o'clock in the Union Hall. This is the last concert of the year, and a large attendance is looked for. The programme is an excellent one, and those who have heard Miss Williams sing will not absent themselves if they can possibly be there.

There is a good deal of work in connection with these concerts, many hard practices at which each man must do his share, and a large crowd will do wonders towards repaying the members for their work.

The orchestra is in better shape now than it ever has been, and a great deal of the success is due to the fine work of Mr. Chas. Williamson, the leader, who has been most faithful, and who is a born musician and a first class conductor. This will be the last appearance of the orchestra this year, but after the holidays quite an extensive programme is mapped out, which will keep them busy. The annual concert of the orchestra (which was absent last year), will be arranged for, also two more Sunday concerts, besides several smaller affairs, which the members are considering.

PROGRAMME OF MUSIC

1. Orchestra. Lift up your Heads (Messiah).....Handel
2. Contralto Solo, Selected.....Miss Olive Williams
3. Quintette A. To a Wild Rose.....MacDowell
B. At an Old Trysting Place.....MacDowell
4. Orchestra, Trumpets.....MacDowell
Messrs. Casey, O'Regan, Lamontagne, Ayer and Briggs
5. Fort.....Gruenwald
6. Instrumental Duet, Serenade, Messrs. Williamson and Robinson.
7. Orchestra, Romance "The Lark".....Clinka
8. Violin Solo, Legende.....Wieniawski
Mr. Phillip Presner.
9. Contralto Solo, Selected.....Miss Olive Williams
10. Orchestra, Selection "Aida".....Verdi
Silver Collection.

MCGILL TO HEAR PRIME MINISTER

Sir Robert Borden Will Address Big Meeting in Union on Monday

The second meeting of the McGill Canadian Club will be held on Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Union, when the Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Laird Borden, P.C., K.C.M.G., will be the speaker. The executive of the Canadian Club are to be congratulated upon getting such a distinguished guest, and a most successful meeting is assured. At the last meeting the Minister of Militia spoke to a crowded hall on the subject of the position which the universities should hold in Canadian military affairs. It was an appropriate start for the club in this time of war to have such a prominent military authority as its first speaker, but this time the club have been even more fortunate in securing the Prime Minister. The subject of the speech has not yet been announced, but it is expected that he will deal with some phase of the war. No man with more authority on this subject, while further interest is added by the fact that this will be one of Sir Robert's first speeches of the kind since the outbreak of the war. The Premier will be welcomed not only as the first man in Canada, but as a speaker of rare ability. Those who have had the pleasure of hearing him before will need no further inducement to attend the meeting, while those who have thus far been deprived of this pleasure may consider themselves to have a treat in store. Sir Robert Borden has greatly honored the Canadian Club by accepting their invitation; it is therefore hoped that every student will avail himself of this opportunity, and turn out in force to welcome their distinguished guest.

TWO ARTS SENIORS BATTLED TOGETHER IN LOCKER ROOM

(Unofficial War Bulletin.)
Who said there was no chance of our having war here in Canada? A most lively encounter took place within the sacred precincts of the Arts building longer ago than yesterday, according to our special correspondent at the scene of action. The participants were two game and sober seniors, according to our informant. Gentleman (?) number one pushed gentleman (?) number two against an iron locker, thus raising the Irish in the Irishman, who thereupon, omitting the "retort courteous" etc., prescribed by Shakespeare, arose and smote his opponent on the nose. We have no account of the fight by rounds, but the night must have been very instructive to the Arts Freshmen.
The president of the class qualified for a D.S.O. medal by stopping the affair and the contestants retired to the seclusion and privacy of the lavatory, where it remains as best they could all traces of the fray.

Futurities

To-day

- 2.15 p.m.—Muster parade of Regiment.
- 3.15 p.m.—Partial Play "Pride and Prejudice" in the Common Room of the R.V.S.
- 7.30 p.m.—Orchestra practice.

To-morrow

- 3.00 p.m.—Principal Peterson lecture in First Presbyterian Church.
- 4.00 p.m.—Sacred concert by orchestra in Union Tuesday.
- 4.30 p.m.—Meeting of Athletic Association Executive Wednesday.
- 1.00 p.m.—Executive of Athletic Association to meet at Rice's Studio.

REPLY BY LIT TO CRITICISM OF THE COUNCIL

The Editor McGill Daily:—

Dear Sir,—In your issue of Friday morning there appears an account of a meeting of the Students' Council in which the following is included:—"It was decided that the Council feel justified in criticising the action of the executive of the Lit. in withdrawing from the Intercollegiate debate with Toronto, which was to have been held here on December 11th, and that the Council had given their sufficient financial support to keep them in the I.U.D.L. greater consideration should have been given this matter before lowering the colors of old McGill." The motion was passed unanimously.

My purpose in calling attention to this matter is not to criticise the action of the Council in passing a vote of censure on the "Lit" executive. The Students' Council is at liberty to censure anyone in the University if it sees fit to do so. The resolution of the Council quoted above, however, is such as to create certain false impressions regarding the situation which led to the executive's action in defaulting to the Toronto debaters, and it is my intention to correct this if possible. No doubt the situation was fully explained to the Council before the resolution was passed, as one of the members of that body is also a member of the "Lit." It is to the student body at large that I wish to explain the stand of the "Lit" executive.

After criticising the executive in general terms, the resolution says: "As the Council had given them sufficient financial support to keep them in the I.U.D.L. greater consideration should have been given this matter before lowering the colors of 'Old McGill.'" Now, sir, as regards the financial support given by the Council to the Literary and Debating Society this year, I may say that this has amounted to fifty-five dollars in all. Fifty dollars of this was for the annual fee which the society must pay each year as a member of the Intercollegiate Debating League. The remaining five dollars was for the purchase of printing and postage for the purpose of hiring the large hall of the Union for sittings of the Mock Parliament, printing and posting invitations to the Reform Cup contest, entertaining in a modest way the delegates from the various universities of expenses of correspondence such as those for stamps and paper and sundry other outlays which any organization of the kind must make from time to time. I say apparently the five dollars was to cover these expenses, because a letter from the secretary of the "Lit" pointing out the fact that these outlays had to be made, met with no other reply from the Council. The fifty dollars for I.U.D.L. fees had to be paid if McGill was to continue to be a member of the Intercollegiate debating body. It is true, as the resolution of the Council states, that they had given the "Lit" sufficient financial support to keep them in the I.U.D.L., but it hardly seems that the Council is on record as being of the opinion that "greater consideration should have been given this matter of defaulting) before lowering the colors of Old McGill." The resolution here expresses sentiments which are no doubt felt by all the students of the University, renegade members of the "Lit" executive not excluded, when it calls attention to the undesirability of lowering the colors of Old McGill. The mention of the magnificent financial aid which the Council rendered the "Lit" dispels any suspicion that might exist in the mind of any student that the Council had done its part to promote the art of debating. The University is on record as being of the opinion that "greater consideration should have been given this matter of defaulting) before lowering the colors of Old McGill." 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International Hockey

The student body should be pleased with the arrangements which have been made to play a series of hockey games with American college teams this winter. Anything which tends to foster a spirit of friendly rivalry between Canadian and American Universities should be helpful. We are apt to forget one another and be absorbed entirely in our own affairs, which is not a good thing. If there are to be friendly relations between the United States and Canada, which everyone will admit to be in the best interest of both countries, the University men should do their part and become better acquainted with each other.

There is nothing better than clean, keen, athletic competition to foster a spirit of friendship between universities and it is unfortunate that more international competitions cannot be held. The difference in rules for the same game in the two countries is usually a barrier, but in the case of hockey, our national winter game, Canadian rules are the only rules, and thus there is no difficulty from this source.

The game with Harvard has long been an important yearly event and surely all students will join in hoping that this game as well as games with other American Universities may long continue to be a feature of the hockey season.

Correspondence

In other years the correspondence columns of the Daily have been well filled, but this year we have been favored with very few contributions from the general student body. What is the reason of this? Is it from the same cause as the lack of interest in the Literary and Debating Society this year? Writing and speaking are very important accomplishments, more important than many subjects on which the student spends his time in the lecture room and study room. If you can't speak well the next best thing is to be able to write a clear logical exposition of your ideas. A good correspondence column adds life and variety to a paper and often contains much that is of value to the reader. All the best papers have a number of letters in every issue and they serve an important purpose in showing the thoughts and feelings of the people whose moulthpiece the paper is supposed to be. We consider the Daily a good paper, so why let it fall behind in this important particular. Surely this silence on the part of the undergraduate body in general does not mean that the Daily says everything there is to say on every subject that arises.

McGill Twenty-Four Months Ago

From The McGill Daily of December 5, 1912

In the senior water polo game last night the play was hard and exciting throughout. Zimmerman starred for the M. S. C. and seemed quite as much at home under the water as on land. McGill's play was very keen, and he worked hard the whole time. M. S. C. were victorious by 3 to 1.

The football team will be presented with gold signed rings, emblems of the winning of the intercollegiate title, and this will be one of the features of Saturday's banquet. The tickets for this are selling like hot cakes, and as this is McGill's first football championship in some years, there will likely be a large number of football enthusiasts on hand to do honor to the men who carried the Red and White to the front in such a brilliant manner.

The Students' Council have decided to continue the vaudeville entertainment as in other years, and to that end have placed Mr. T. M. Hamer, of Sel. 13, in charge of the affair.

Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia have announced their intention to be present at the orchestral concert to be given by the McGill Conservatorium orchestra in the Royal Victoria College Hall on Tuesday, December 16th, 1912.

PEACE PROPOSALS ARE NOW IN ORDER

Whilst the main preoccupation of any country at present is the maintenance of the safety of its national inheritance, it is the purpose of the Union of Democratic Control to secure the adoption of a new policy which will prevent a similar peril ever again befalling Great Britain.

THE REVOLT AGAINST FRANCE

A Discourse on the Relations Existing between France and her Opponents during the War of the Spanish Succession, Written for the Historical Club by P. S. Fisher.

In discussing the relations which existed between France and the rest of Europe during the war of the Spanish Succession, the Peace of Utrecht in 1713, we must first go back and examine the course of foreign policy which the Bourbon kings followed since the accession of Henry IV. This line had spent most of his energies in building up the internal resources of the country and in an attempt to obtain a unity of administration which would enable it to take its place in the European political system. The policy had been followed by Richelieu, the able minister of Louis XIII and also by Mazarin, who guided the destinies of the nation during the minority of Louis XIV.

When Louis XIV himself came to the throne he outlined for himself a policy of aggression against the countries on the frontiers of France, which if successful, would have increased the expansion of the French dominions. His main ambition was to make France the predominant power in Europe, and to this he aimed to do in various ways. At one time he had hoped that the chief motive of the possession of the Imperial Crown, but this idea had been abandoned early in the game, and he had contented himself with his aggressive policy towards the Netherlands. This policy he continued for its own ends till the Peace of Ryswick. But in this year he suddenly made peace, apparently giving up most of the fruits of his successful campaigns on the north and eastern frontiers of France.

The reason for this is not hard to find. During the long reign of Philip IV, Spain had entered into a decline. She had lost a great part of that which had once made her the greatest of European powers. Forced to acknowledge the independence of Portugal, weakened in her military power by the aggressive policy of Louis, and in her naval power by the rivalry of the Dutch, which Philip left to his son, Charles II of Spain was very different from the old and predominant Spain of Philip II.

ENGLAND. MOTHER ENGLAND

(The author of this beautiful song is Mr. Edwin C. C. It is printed with high appreciation in the year-book of the Royal Society of St. George.)

tonia, wife of the Electoral Prince. The remaining claimant was the Archduke Charles, Emperor Leopold II who claimed that Maria Antonia had transferred her Spanish claims to the descendants of Leopold I. Of the three claimants Philip of France would have had the best claim, but both the wife of Louis XIII and the wife of Louis XIV had renounced all claim to Spanish inheritance. Thus the Electoral Prince Charles was the rightful claimant to the Spanish throne.

From this we might have hoped that a settlement could have been arrived at peacefully, but, although France and the Empire were the countries chiefly involved in the actual succession, yet indirectly the tenure of the Spanish throne would considerably affect the Maritime Powers—England and Holland. These were extremely interested in preventing the juncture of the French and Spanish trading and commercial interests on the sea. The preservation of the commerce between the kingdoms of Great Britain and Spain was one of the chief motives of the war.

THINGS THEATRICAL

THE STRAND

Annette Kellerman in Neptune's Daughter.

he could at any moment have for the other. The negotiations between Louis and William III of England resulted in the "First Partition Treaty" 1698. By this the Electoral Prince of Bavaria was declared the principal heir of the Three—Revolving France, Spain, Spanish possessions. The French Dauphin was to receive Naples, Sicily and Tuscany, and several smaller territories nearer France. The Duchy of Milan was to fall to the lot of the Archduke Charles.

This was the counter-stroke of Spain against the policy of the Partition treaty. An attempt to preserve the unity of the Spanish Dominions. What might have happened as the result of this is hard to say. France desired the Kingdoms of Naples and Sicily for the Dauphin, while Austria seemed little inclined to accept either the partition treaty or the Will.

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War of the World. The latter is a descriptive chronicle of events showing just exactly what happened from the assassination of Crown Prince Ferdinand and the recent battles in Belgium and France. This should prove a picture which it will repay you to see, comprising as it does, scenes of interest, such as the Death of the Hussars invading Luxembourg; King George, England's ruler, reviewing his army about to embark for the Continent; President Poincaré of France and the assembled deputies; the Czar addressing his crack regiment; English and French fleets in the North Sea, and others too numerous to mention.

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INDOOR MEET EXPECTED TO TAKE PLACE

Popular Indoor Athletics Will Probably Again Be Feature of Winter Activities

LAST YE. R'S MEET MOST SUCCESSFUL

Prospects for the Success of the Meet Are Exceedingly Bright

It is expected that the indoor athletics meet which was so popular a feature of last year's winter activities at McGill will be repeated next term, taking place some time in January. Although nothing definite regarding the meet has yet been decided upon, it is fully expected that the meet will be as good as the one which was held last year.

Last January saw the first of these indoor athletic meets at McGill. With the loss of the old gymnasium on Mansfield street, and the opening of classes at the Drummond street Y.M.C.A., there was a great increase in the attendance recorded. The result was that instructor Lamb found it a difficult task to keep in touch with the individual work of the athletes. It was therefore decided that the more experienced men should be approached and asked to join in the formation of a "leaders' corps" as it was thought that this means better work might be done.

The leaders' corps rapidly took hold of the situation, with a full complement of officers and representatives. One of the first suggestions to be made was that an indoor meet be held, as a means of training new men to take part in university athletics, and with several other objects in view. The athletic executive at once got in touch with the track club, which readily consented to lend its support and interest to the project.

These two organizations working together took charge of the first indoor meet held at McGill. The meet was an immediate success, and was no doubt an important factor in bringing about the splendid showing which the Red and White track athletes made last season. It will be welcome news to numerous McGill men that the indoor meet will be held again after the Christmas holidays. There are many who believe that beyond the finding and training of recruits for the track club, lies the possibility of intercollegiate indoor meets with other Canadian universities. The athletic executive is at present considering this season, and the International Athletic Federation in Lyons, France, last June, when Canada was represented by Past President James G. Merrick. The definition itself is not a very long one, but the federation have given an interpretation of the fundamental rules that includes many details.

SCIENCE '16 MET TO ELECT HOCKEY REPRESENTATIVE

Bill Morris Elected at Poorly Attended Meeting Yesterday

A meeting of Sci. '16 was held in room 74 yesterday at 4:30 p.m. The order of business was the election of a hockey representative for the coming winter. Mr. W. H. Morris was unanimously chosen to fill the position. The meeting was very poorly attended, as there were scarcely a dozen members present. This was probably due to the fact that exams are drawing near, and everybody is busy studying or turning out to drill, but it has been noticed that the members of Sci. '16 are showing very poor spirit in regard to class affairs. Now it is up to the men to attend the meetings and support their team and show that they are a real live bunch and not old women.

YALE CLUB TO PLAY

It will be of interest to all Daily readers to learn that a dramatized version of Dr. Leacock's humorous sketch "Behind the Beyond" has been chosen as one of the one-act plays which the Yale dramatic club are to play on their annual holiday tour. This is just one of the many facts which show how much Dr. Leacock's books are read and appreciated throughout the States.

R.V.C. BASKETBALL OVER WEDNESDAY

The concluding match of the R. V. C. basketball inter-year series will be played on Monday, December 7th, at four o'clock, when the Juniors and Sophomores will fight it out for third place in the series.

Many a bride sweeps up the aisle of a church who would faint at the sight of a room.—Life.

Here's Why

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HOCKEY MEETING

A meeting of all hockey representatives will be held in the Union next Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 in order to draw up a schedule for the campus rink and arrange for hours of play.

All classes are asked to elect their representatives before that date.

MCGILL MAY MEET VERMONT VARSITY

Indoor Meet May Be Held With Neighboring University Next Term

There is a strong probability that the near future will see an indoor athletic competition between teams representing McGill University and the University of Vermont. The college across the line has written to the executive of the McGill Athletic Association suggesting that teams from the two colleges compete in an indoor meet some time after the Christmas holidays. As this is entirely in line with the progressive ideas which have animated the athletic executive in the organization of the indoor meets at McGill, it is expected that arrangements between the two colleges will go through, and the dual meeting take place. Just where the events will be staged has not yet been decided upon, but it is likely that Montreal will be selected. It will be remembered that the tennis team from the University of Vermont played with the McGill representatives earlier in the present season, and upon their return to Burlington spoke in glowing terms of the treatment here. Should this inter-collegiate meet take place, it would materially aid in the furthering of the feeling of good will which exists between McGill and her neighbors across the line.

THE STATUS OF AN AMATEUR TO BE DECIDED ON

The A.A.U. at Ottawa Will Frame a Definition of an Amateur

One of the most important matters to be disposed of at the annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada in Ottawa to-day is not of a controversial nature, being the formal adoption of the definition of an amateur as proposed at the International Athletic Federation in Lyons, France, last June, when Canada was represented by Past President James G. Merrick. The definition itself is not a very long one, but the federation have given an interpretation of the fundamental rules that includes many details. The International Federation's definition is as follows:

1. An amateur is one who competes only for the love of sport.
2. Competing for money or any other pecuniary reward in any sport considered as an athletic sport makes the competitor ineligible to compete as an amateur in all sports considered as athletic sports.
3. In the event of an amateur competing with or against a professional in any sport, not for money or other pecuniary reward, then the members of the Federation to which the athlete belongs shall be the judge of such competitor's status according to its own rules, and its certificate as to the competitor's status shall be accepted by all other members of the Federation.
4. In track and field athletic sports any one who has received money or against a professional thereby ceases to be an amateur.
5. One who teaches, trains or coaches in any sport for money or other pecuniary consideration, is a professional except, however, that, so far as competition is concerned, and any athlete who only, is concerned, an employee or representative of the state or school or other educational institution who teaches, trains, or coaches as an incident to his main vocation or employment is not a professional.
6. As the member of the federation of the country of such person shall decide.

As an interpretation of the above fundamental rules, and to be considered as part thereof, the following regulations are set out, and any athlete who violates any thereof shall thereby cease to be an amateur:

- (a) An amateur can not wage, or be interested in a wage, money bet or stake made in connection with the athletic competition in which he is to participate.
- (b) An amateur must not accept any prize or token above two pounds value which is not suitably inscribed with some words or letters commemorative of the competition. Prizes must be possessed or retained for a period of the life of the recipient.
- (c) An amateur can not compete for a prize or token of a value of more than ten pounds, except by consent of the members of the federation of the organizing country.
- (d) An amateur shall not sell or pawn or exchange his prizes.
- (e) An amateur can not enter or compete in any contest under a name other than his own, or one assumed permanently by him for purposes of competition and registered by him with a member of the federation of his country.
- (f) An amateur can not issue a challenge, or in any manner evidence his intention of competing with or against a professional or for money or its equivalent.
- (g) An amateur can not sign a contract agreeing to take a professional position in athletics, or to take part in any athletic sports for money.
- (h) An amateur can not accept or in any manner receive any money or other pecuniary gain in going to, attending or returning from an athletic meeting, other than his actual outlay for rail-road, steamship, sleeping car fare, and for meals and lodgings. Under no circumstances shall the amount paid exceed the cost of one first class railway

ticket.

Note.—These maximum expenses refer only to contests under rule 5 of the statutes.

(b) Any expense money must be paid not to the athlete, but to the member of the federation of the athlete's country.

(c) An amateur can not accept travelling expenses or payment of any kind for a trainer, rubber, masseur, friend or relative.

(Note.—This rule does not mean that reasonable travelling expenses of trainer and the like can not be paid, but that such expenses can not be demanded by, or paid to, the athlete, but must be paid as provided by regulation 1-b.)

(d) An amateur can not, directly or indirectly, receive any money for loss of time or wages in attending or training for any athletic competition.

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MCDONALD IS DEFEATED IN BASKETBALL

McGill Intermediates Defeated Macdonald by a Score of 32 to 17

MCGILL STRONG AT THE FINISH

At Half-time Only One Point Difference in Score

The basketball season, in so far as McGill is concerned, was ushered in last evening with a friendly game played at Macdonald College between the Macdonald senior team and an aggregation which may be classed as the McGill intermediates. The score at the close of the match stood: McGill 32, Macdonald 17.

For so early in the season a particularly good brand of basketball was played, and especially was this the case in the first half, when both teams were striving for the lead. The Red and White secured the first few baskets, and Macdonald came back with a vengeance, and for a time had McGill on the defensive. At half-time McGill led by one point only, the score being 13-12 in their favor. When play was resumed, the visitors showed a marked improvement in their performance, with the result that they walked away from the Aggies and won by the score already mentioned. After half-time it was McGill's game.

For the losers, Evans and A. Hyndman both showed a fine game, while every member of the McGill quintette played a good game.

The line-up was as follows:—
McGill. Positions. Macdonald.
Des Brisay.....Guards.....Aird
Fisher.....Forwards.....Toy
D. Hyndman.....Centre.....Evans
Cushing.....Forwards.....Fraser
Upham.....Forwards.....A. Hyndman

HOCKEY EXECUTIVE

A meeting of the hockey executive will be held at the McGill Union at 6:45 this evening to consider very important business.

MCGILL JUNIORS IN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Red and White Now Represented in Junior Hockey League of Canada

McGill's Junior hockey team will be represented this season in the Junior Amateur Hockey League of Canada, the annual meeting of which was held in the M.A.A.U. club house on Thursday evening. Considerable important business was disposed of, and the application of teams representing McGill, Longueuil and Shamrocks for admission to the league was granted. The representative present were the following: M.A.A.U.: A. R. Meldrum; Victorias: J. Aird and Cramer; Loyola: McDonald; Huntingdon: Nelson; McGill: J. C. Creighton. Although St. Lambert's withdrew and it is expected that they will place a team in the league as usual.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Nairn (re-elected by acclamation); vice-presidents, J. Aird and S. McDonald; secretary-treasurer, R. J. H. Nelson.

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FOOTBALL PICTURES

Proofs of the pictures of the first and senior football team which were recently taken at Rice's, have arrived, and may be seen at the office of Mr. McMillan, McGill Union.

All those who are interested are requested to call and see them.

DONALDAS TO START FANCY SKATING SOON

R.V.C. Students Will Again Take Up Last Winter's Popular Sport

Now that the basketball season is drawing to a close, our door sports are beginning to occupy the thoughts of R. V. C. students.

An attempt is being made this year to have these sports so well organized before Xmas that there will be no unnecessary delay in getting started when the Xmas vacation is over. The skating rink at the back of the college is already in course of preparation for the winter season.

Last year fancy skating won great popularity, an enthusiastic band of fancy skaters, all more or less proficient in the graceful art, turning out to the practice. The girls improved steadily under the careful coaching of Miss Baker Edwards. At the end of the season a fancy skating competition was held, cups being presented to the winners of the different classes.

All those who intend to fancy skate this year should hand in their names to their year managers, at the same time signifying whether they will be willing to pay for the services of a paid coach.

These year managers are as follows: Miss Willie Dyke, '15; Miss Gladys McCaw, '16; Miss May Newham, '17; Miss Rita Potter, '18.

SWIMMING LEADS IN POPULARITY AT YALE

Over Half of Those Taking Required Gymnasium Work Are Enrolled

Of the different forms of exercise chosen by members of the Yale academy Freshman class for required gymnasium work, swimming appears to be one of the most popular regular sports.

The Yale Daily News, with 37 men taking it consistently and 15 others who vary it with bowling and gymnasium work.

Considerably over half of these taking required gymnasium work controlled the classes, and the individual work on the main floor of the gymnasium.

Of the 73 men who have been taking major fall sports, 36 have been in for crew, 27 for football, and only 16 for track. However, the football squad and most of the crew squad have to elect new sports now owing to the completion of the season.

Fencing, squash and handball are the three popular sports with only four, three and two men, respectively, out for them.

The following is the complete list of sports elected. Basketball is not included inasmuch as this work does not count as required gymnasium work for Freshmen.

Class and squad work, 160; individual work, 11; swimming, 37; crew, 36; football, 27; bowling, swimming and squad work, 13; track, 16; wrestling, 10; cross-country, 7; gymnasium team, 7; boxing, 7; tennis, 4; squash, 3; handball, 2; total number taking required work, 336.

BELEATED FOOTBALL HOLDS THE BOARDS

At 15 and Medicine '17 meet on the campus this morning in a game which will decide the class championship of McGill for the present year.

Considerable interest is being taken in the struggle as both classes claim to have strong aggregations. It is likely that, despite the lateness of the season, those who attend the game will witness a good class of football.

Several men who have figured on one time or another will be on the field. Both classes are counting upon the support of their members in the rooting line.

MCGILL DEFEATED IN WATER POLO

The Montreal Swimming Club defeated the McGill senior team in the last game of water polo this season by a score of 6-1. The game was not a good one, the play being rather ragged and slipshod. The line-up was: M. S. C. Watson, McCarthy, Ems, Gathol, Vermont. The Red and White was represented by Rosenbrough, Patterson, Smith, Hodgson, Lester, Pengelly.

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VARSITY AND DOUBLE BLUE MEET TO-DAY

Dominion Football Champions Will be Decided at Varsity Stadium

ARGOS TO PRESENT A WEAKENED TEAM

Have Played no Fewer than Three Games Within Last Two Weeks

This evening the home of the Grey Cup, representing the senior rugby championship of the Dominion, will be known. The final game this year is being staged at this late date on account of the many play-offs which have been necessary. The teams have been very closely matched in all three senior leagues, and for a time it looked as if a play-off was going to be necessary in each one. However, the Toronto Rowing and Athletic Club were eliminated by what was considered up to that time a third rate team, and consequently the Hamilton Rowing Club were presented with the championship of the Ontario Rugby Football Union.

The Toronto club made a strenuous fight in the committee room to have their game with St. Patrick's played over again, but to no avail. The O.R.F.U. winners, however, were settled with on Wednesday last by the Argonauts, after a great battle, the Double Blue winning out sixteen to fourteen. This for the first time in three seasons the Interprovincial and Intercollegiate champions are to face each other in the deciding game for the highest rugby honors in the Dominion.

The Argonauts have played no less than three very strenuous matches in the last fourteen days. To-day's game will be their fourth in fifteen days, which makes quite a record. Every one of the contests which they have staged since the regular season closed, has been close. The first one against the Jungle Kings in the Ambitious City resulted in a draw, the scoring standing nine all when the final whistle blew. The second one was against Tigers in Toronto, and was in this encounter that Argos won the championship of the Interprovincial, they being victorious over Hamilton, to the tune of eleven to four. On Wednesday of this week the Double Blue again registered a win for themselves when they squared out a victory from the Hamilton Rowing Club by the tight score of sixteen to fourteen. The Argos outfit have thus eliminated two teams from the Ambitious City from the contest for the Dominion honors, and it is scarcely out of consideration how much Hamilton hates to lose a game, it is excusable to state that the Double Blue are hardly likely to be very popular in Jungleville just now.

McGill will be under a great handicap in to-day's match. The three hard games which the team has staged recently have left their machine rather crippled in several spots. Practically all the men on the wing line are nursing injuries, and the center of the line has acquired a large assortment of bad knees and stiff ankles in the recent contests which it has passed through. However, the Double Blue are almost enough half backs on their squad to form the best of conditions out, and will be able consequently to trot out a strong running and kicking trio to-day. O'Connor is sure to play, while Smith will be on one side of him, with probably O'Connor on his left. Murphy will be at three yards, where he has scintillated all season. Lawson, Holmes and Bickle will get into the game if any of the above three half-backs show a tendency to slow up. Several of the stars from the wing line are reported to be laid up in bed. These hunkies, however, seem to possess a remarkable knack of getting well very quickly just previously to a game. This trait is peculiar to Toronto. The Argos line-up will be as follows: O'Connor, Watson, Murphy, McCarthy, Ems, Gathol, Vermont, Smith, Hodgson, Lester, Pengelly.

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MANNERISMS OF YALE PROFESSOR

ALABAMA ELEVEN

In his days as a professor at Yale, President Hadley's mannerisms were even more striking than they are now.

Usually a class of 200 to 300 men occupied every available seat in the largest lecture room of Osborne hall. As the hour struck, the door on one side opened, and a slight, wiry figure, shaking with nervous energy, rushed in and ascended the platform at the rate of three or four steps at a jump. He landed with such force that a shudder would go over the class for fear that he might slide off the other end of the platform. Indeed, in the lecture that followed, the enjoyment was somewhat marred by the prevailing apprehension that the professor might suffer bodily injury. The platform was high and small, and Mr. Hadley threw himself about it in a most reckless fashion. As he proceeded in his argument, he would gradually advance toward the edge, and he sometimes balanced himself on his toes for minutes at a time — the students in front momentarily prepared to catch him when he toppled over. At the critical moment, however, he would again strike the centre of gravity, drop on his heels, and perform a acrobatic feat. At one end stood a stool, and as he approached it, he would place his hand on it, the lecturer, with outstretched arm, would use as a pivot, while his body, at a distance, performed indescribable gyrations around it. On one occasion, when he was sitting at his desk, the story goes, apparently not knowing what else to do with his feet, he suddenly thrust them into a waste paper basket; it was a tight fit, and he had the devil's own time trying to extricate them.

Following the annual Army-Navy football game in Philadelphia will come the annual selection of all-American all-Eastern and all-Western teams for the season of 1914. The adherents of the two United States academy teams will avail this mythical combinations with more than usual interest at this season since both the Americans and West Point teams include players the right by their admirers to be of all-American calibre.

Last year the Army and Navy each succeeded in placing a player on the team considered by football followers in general to be the nearest approach to an official eleven. Brown, of the Cadets team, was placed at right guard, and Merrill, of the Middies, at right end. This brought the total up to ten for the period extending from 1901 to 1913. Bunker, the Army's right tackle, and Daly, quarterback in 1901, were the first service players to make the

THE MILITARY HAPPENINGS AT OLD MCGILL

REGIMENT HOLDS MUSTER PARADE THIS AFTERNOON AT WESTMOUNT GOLF LINKS

All Men Must Attend This Parade or Their Names Will Be Struck From the Roll

Lt.-Col. Robert Starke, Commanding McGill University Battalion.

Parades:—A muster parade of the regiment will be held on Saturday, December 5th, at 2.15 p.m. at the High School Building, Metcalfe Street. Every man in the regiment of all ranks must attend this parade.

Absentees without leave will be struck from the roll.

The regiment will parade facing north on Burnside Street—"A" Company between McGill College Avenue and Mansfield Street; "B" Company between Mansfield and Metcalfe Streets; "C" Company between Metcalfe and Peel Streets; "D" Company between Peel and Stanley Streets.

The regimental band will fall in at the corner of McGill College Avenue and Burnside Street. The battalion will march west by way of Sherbrooke, Mackay and Dorchester streets, thence up to the Westmount Golf Links, where it will be inspected by the O. C., Lt.-Col. Robert Starke.

It is expected that over 1,000 men will be on parade.

A. R. CHIPMAN,
Captain and Adjutant.

There will be no medical recruits drill at the Grenadier Guards' Armory at 4.20 Monday, December 7th.

Medical recruits who have not been passed upon and notified to drill with their companies will parade at the Grenadier Guards' Armory on December 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th, 1914, at 4.20 p.m.

WILLIAM STEWART,
Lieut. and Acting Adjutant.
December 4th, 1914.

HARDERS MAGAZINE HAS REVIEW OF THE CAUSES UNDERLYING THIS WAR

(Continued.)

these, Roumanian and Persian questions. "As for Germany she knew very well what she was about in backing Austria in this matter." On July 26th, Grey again urged his four Power conference; France and Italy accepted at once. Germany through headquarters at Berlin said it was "not practicable," although, according to the German Ambassador in London, she approved it in principle, and Russia said the arrangement was satisfactory. Grey called the attention of Austria to the fact that the British had been dispersed that day, but as the situation had developed it could not be dispensed. At the same time he was beginning covertly to threaten Austria and Germany he encouraged Russia. To Austria and Germany he emphasized the fact that England might be drawn in. To Russia and France he emphasized the true fact that it would all depend on developments.

The Russian Ambassador at Vienna urged that the Austrian Ambassador at St. Petersburg be given full power to continue discussion with the Russian Minister, Baron Macechio, the Austrian Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said he would submit suggestion to the Secretary. The next day the Secretary himself gave Austria's position to the British Ambassador. The Russian Ambassador declared that Austria-Hungary cannot delay warlike proceedings against Serbia, and would have to decline any suggestion of negotiations on basis of Serbia's reply. "The prestige of dual monarchy was engaged, and nothing could now prevent conflict."

On the same day the German Imperial Chancellor sent word to Grey that he agreed with Austria that Austria's quarrel with Serbia was purely an Austrian concern with which Russia had nothing to do. The next day the Chancellor stated that he had just told Austria he agreed with her position about Serbia's note. The next day the British Ambassador in Berlin telegraphed Grey that Germany was complaining of France's recalling officers on leave, while Germany was doing the same thing herself, but denying it. Partial Russian mobilization was announced this day, as Austria had definitely declined direct conversations with Russia. Russia's foreign minister urged revival of Grey's four-power plan. He was asked if she would accept an idea that had been suggested by Italy, that Serbia might be willing to back down still further to the Powers than she had to Austria, and he consented to this. He also said he did not care what form the four-power plan took. The British Ambassador in St. Petersburg telegraphed to Grey: "I fear that the German Ambassador will help to smooth matters over, if he uses to his own Government the same language as he did to me to-day. He accused the Russian Government of endangering the peace of Europe by their mobilization, and said, when I referred to all that had been recently done by Austria, that he could not discuss such matters." On this day came the Austrian's Emperor's impetuous order to his people.

Meantime Italy was telegraphing Berlin urging it to take part in the effort for peace.

On the 29th Grey, talking to the German Ambassador, revived his four-power plan. "I have urged," he said, "that the German Government should suggest any method by which the influence of the four Powers would be used to prevent war between Austria and Russia. France agreed. Italy agreed. The whole idea of mediation or mediation influence was ready to be put into operation by any method that Germany could suggest if mine was not acceptable. In fact, mediation was ready to come into operation by any method that Germany thought possible if only Germany would press the button in the interests of peace."

Then on the same day came Germany's attempt, fully familiar to the world, to buy British neutrality, promptly refused by Grey. On the 29th the Austrian Ambassador informed Grey the war with Serbia "must proceed." Austria could not continue to extend to the "necessity of mobilizing again and again, as she had been obliged to do in recent years." On the same day the British, French and Russian Ambassadors in Vienna spoke to the German Ambassador. There, who expressed surprise that German affairs should be of such interest to Russia. The British Ambassador on the 30th telegraphed to Grey: "Unfortunately the German Ambassador is himself so identified with extreme anti-Russian and anti-Serbian policy prevalent in Vienna that he is unlikely to plead the cause of peace with entire sincerity. Although I am not able to say I have private information that the German Ambassador knew the text of the Austrian ultimatum to Serbia before it was despatched and telegraphed it to the German Emperor, I know from the Ambassador's own lips that he endorses every line of it."

Russia, on the 30th, offered to stop all military operations, if Austria, recognizing that her conflict with Serbia had assumed the character of a world war, would declare herself ready to eliminate from her ultimatum points which violated the principle of sovereignty of Serbia.

The German Secretary of States stated on the 30th that he had put Grey's proposal before Austria and had received no reply.

The telegrams from Rome during these critical days indicate that Italy had been led to expect a much more conciliatory attitude from Germany. On the 31st Grey again urged his four-power plan, with elaboration, in Germany, even offering to retire from the entente with Russia and France if they did not do their full share, and indicating that if the British were on Germany's part England would be drawn in.

On the same day the German Chancellor admitted he had heard from Vienna, about Grey's proposal, to the effect that the Austrian Minister of Foreign Affairs would take the wishes of the Emperor in the matter.

On the 31st Grey asked France and Germany if they would accept mediation neutrality and urged Belgium to uphold it herself.

On August 1st, Grey sent to Berlin a most significant telegram, indicating a sudden change in the views of Austria. "The Russian Government has communicated to me the readiness of Austria to discuss with Russia and the readiness of Austria to accept a basis of mediation which is not open to the objection raised in regard to the formula which Russia originally suggested. Things could not be so hopeless as long as Austria and Russia are ready to converse, and I hope the German Government may be able to make use of the Russian communications referred to above, in order to avoid tension."

No document is more important than this one in the task of deciding whether

THE BATTALION ORDER NO. 19

Order No. 18 Will Be Ready in a Few Days

Lieut.-Col. Robert Starke, Officer Commanding McGill University Battalion, C.O.T.C.

Over-Seas Contingent.—All members of the Battalion desirous of serving in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces during the period of the war, are requested to hand in their names to their Company Commander as soon as possible.

It is the intention that those volunteering will formally enlist for active service at the end of the present college year.

A. R. CHIPMAN,
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TORONTO 'VARSITY OFFICERS' CORPS

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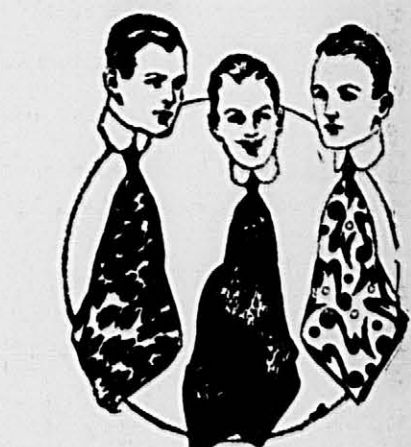
At a meeting of members of the University Club last night, it was decided to form a company, to be known as the University Club Officers' Training Corps. This will be affiliated to the University Officers' Training Corps, and will be supplementary to that organization. It is proposed to establish two courses of instruction: one for members to qualify as subalterns, and a more advanced course for those desiring to fill positions as captains in the Canadian militia or the British territorial regiments. A further development will be the formation of a concentration camp to provide a more rigorous training for all those who may volunteer for active service. This will be opened at the end of the college year in May. Classes in map-reading, topography and allied subjects will be formed at the club. A committee will be appointed to secure recognition by the Militia Council.

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The Daily wishes to thank the contributor who took enough interest to hand in the corrected list:

LARGE NUMBER OF UNIFORMS HAVE ARRIVED

The regiment now have a total of one hundred and ninety uniforms. One hundred of these arrived in the last two days. It is hoped that the men will call for these immediately as the appearance of the regiment would be greatly improved by the large number of similar uniforms. The following men may receive their uniforms by obtaining an order from their platoon commander and presenting same at the McGill armory: Adams, Allan, Armstrong, Almond, Atkinson, Burgess, Bailey, Beasly, Bennett, Branton, Brooks, Balan, Bleagley, Brown, Brock, Cohen, Campbell, Cole, Cleveland, Cameron, Creaghan, Delev, Dewey, Brodie, Belanger, Bain, Baly, Burgess, Brown, Burn, Boast, Bessett, Brown, Bruneau, Crawford, Clark, Dodd, Dolson, Dwyer, Dickinson, Flanders, Fritz, Foster, Farr, Farmer, Forks, Graham, Gwales, Galloway, Giles, Galloway, Howard, Harrower, Hebdien, Hamilton, Harris, Henry, Preston, Johns, Kilgus, Kilgus, Kollie, Karsmar, Lindsay, Lloyd, Stansfield, Hughes, Liddy, Lyons, Skinner, Hutchison, Mackinnon, Leacock, Sory, Keir, Hubbard, Landon, Sargent, Goley, Cousens, Leach, Shorey, Withey, Harvey, Amol, Lalonde, Sherry, Helly, Furry, Latham, Smythe, Moore, Fry, McKenzie, Seath, Davidson, Hudky, MacEwen, Steward, Mackay, Gardner, Meakins, Timberlake, Coopers, Des Bussey, McCulloch, Tucker, Branch, Creighton, Adams, Giles, McLeod, Taylor, Eve, Ballantyne, Mitto, Usher, Fair, Croik, MacDonald, Welley, Murdoch, Dawson, MacDonnell, Walker, Beattie, Oswald, Wanklyn, Purcell, McDonald, O'Reilly, Werry, Johnston, Plomche, Wright, Kelley, Page, Younger, Calder, Russell, Zimmermann, Andrews, Robinson, Gardner, Rochester, MacCallum, Hobbs, Black, Willcroft, Gilchrist, Sutherland, Christie, Hall, Hall, Grey.

WARD RECEIVED MCGILL BATTALION GAZETTED AS C.O.T.C.

The Welcome News Puts the Officers' Minds at Ease

Word has been received at the battalion headquarters that the C.O.T.C. has been increased to an eight company battalion. Instructions were also given that the present organization of four double companies of four platoons each was to be maintained until further notice. Last fall the C.O.T.C. consisted of one company of 118 men. The number of McGill men desiring to join reached the one thousand mark. The C.O.T.C., as then gazetted, was forced to refuse all except the first 118. However, a provisional battalion was formed of four double companies of four platoons each, as required by the infantry training of 1914. At the same time an application was sent to Ottawa to gazette the C.O.T.C. as one battalion of four double companies. This should permit all to join the C.O.T.C.

Three weeks ago a notice was received that the Canadian units were to follow the drill as laid down in Infantry Training 1911, which required of companies of the "baton system."

The word received last night, besides permitting the C.O.T.C. to enroll all the men does away with the fear, aroused by this circular that the time spent in perfecting the battalion in platoon drill had been wasted.

HOCH DER KAISER!

MCGILL

HOCH DER KAISER! who? mJ

The day has dawned, there's thunder in the air,
The lightning's bolt; agast there stands a world,
A ruthless sword has raised the awful fair,
Unsheathed his sword, his battle flag unfurled.

He points a way, careless how women bleed,
Or infants' wail, or mothers' agony,
Or human wrongs, and yet he dares not lead,
An Emperor, forsooth! where's chivalry?

An Emperor's who's word's not worth a breath,
Moloch and liar, panopied in steel,
Whose bloody life's a lie, whose early Had saved a nation from war's shock and reel.

But now, mad Kaiser, you have done the deed,
For which I thank you, 'spite of all the jeers,
For, hearken, madman, you have sown a seed,
Will pedestal old England through the years.

Will raise her higher when this war does cease,
Higher, ten times, than craven business ways,
Or hundred years of sordid, breeding Dead days now past, all hail; ye living days!

The price is high, some say, oh, damn the price!
Why should we weep for tens of thousands slain?
By such we show the world, we're men, not mice,
Poor dead? Rich dead! By God! you'll live again.

You'll live for ever in a nation's thought,
Thought only lives, a body's meat, not soul,
By your high deeds, dear England, you have wrought,
In deathless names, a deathless heroes' roll!

And now to him, to whom some thanks are due,
Tolerance we are taught being wiser,
A day may come when we will all thank you,
Craz'd fool, weak, vain and bloodthirsty Kaiser!

—Frank Houghton.

SOLID MARBLE.

First Student—"I always stop at St. Francis when I'm in the city."
Second Student—"I like the bar there, too."—Chaparral.

She—"I understand that Luther Burbank has evolved an odorless onion."
He—"If only the genius had turned his thought to liquid refreshment!"—Jack-o'-Lantern.

ORIGINATOR OF THE SNAPBACK IS DEAD

"Thrill" Burnside Starred With the 'Varsity Team Eighteen Years Ago

The death of J. M. T. Burnside took place Thursday, Asheville, N. C., where he had been spending some time in the hope that his health would be benefited. He was forty years of age. Deceased was better known as "Thrill" Burnside, and was captain of the University of Toronto football team eighteen years ago. He prepared for the University of Toronto at Upper Canada College, and played on that team in 1891. He was contemporary with such gridiron stars as Connell, Burwash, Mallock, McCullum, Hobbs, Kingston, Barr, Bradley and Elliott.

The late Mr. Burnside introduced a set of rules that tended to open up the Canadian game. He did away with the scrimmage, and put the ball in play by the snapback system. Many other changes were embodied in the rules, most of which remain in one form or another to this day.

The snapback was used one season by the O.R.F.U., after which the Union reverted to a modified scrimmage. At the University of Toronto he took his degree in engineering. He was a prominent bicycle rider when racing was at the height of its popularity. As a gymnast he was also known. After a course at the Royal Military College he was attached to the 48th Highlanders at Toronto, and was afterwards transferred to the Imperial service. He served on the Gold Coast of Africa and in China. Of late years he has been engaged in mining in the Cobalt district.

RECRUITING LIST

After To-day no Person Will Be Accepted in the Regiment

To-day is the last opportunity given to students to join the regiment. It is hoped that the large number of men who have not yet yielded in their names will reconsider their position before it is too late. Ask the members of the regiment for their advice, and we have no fear for the results.

Six men yesterday joined the ranks. They are the following:—
H. Simpson,
John M. Bishop, Sc.
Frank McGill, Arts.
H. A. Coter, Sc.
Lionel S. Yull, Sc.
R. S. Hall, Med.

WERE EARLY BIRDS

Which May Explain How They Happened to be Taken

The following gives an idea how brisk the recruits are for the present contingent. A certain man went so far as to claim that favoritism was being employed. He cites as an instance that "ten men out of one local concern" were accepted when there were plenty of others just as suitable and unemployed.

Does "H. G." know that these ten men were down at the recruiting office at 6.30 in the morning with the temperature at 10 below, as it was to be a case of first come first served? Is this not a pleasing outlook for the future of our soldiers when such eagerness is being displayed.

Mary—"Love never did bring me any luck, Mum."
Mrs. Smith—"Really, I fail to see how that can be, Mary."
Mary—"No, indeed, Mum; only now I've broken the statue of Venus, Mum."—Judge.

Government Investigation—"What made you burn your books?"
Railroad President—"The motto of our road is 'Safety First'."—Life.

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- 1165. NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA. Memoir No. 18. Bathurst District. New Brunswick, by G. A. Young. Maps not yet published.
- 1186. QUEBEC. Memoir No. 35. Reconnaissance along the National Transcontinental Railway in Southern Quebec, by John A. Dresser.
- 1160. ONTARIO. Memoir No. 17. Larder Lake District, Ont., and adjoining Portions of Pontiac County, Quebec, by Morley E. Wilson.
- 1212. Memoir No. 33. Geology of Gowganda Mining Division, by W. H. Collins.
- 1204. NORTH WEST PROVINCES. Preliminary Report on the Clay and Shale Deposits of the Western Provinces, by Heinrich Ries and Joseph Keele.
- 1220. Memoir No. 24. Oil and gas prospects of the Northwest Provinces of Canada, by Wyatt Malcolm. Map not yet published.
- 1175. BRITISH COLUMBIA. Memoir No. 21. The Geology and Ore Deposits of Phoenix, Boundary District, B.C., by O. E. LeRoy.
- 1228. YUKON AND NORTHWEST TERRITORIES. Memoir No. 31. Wheaton District, Yukon Territory, by D. D. Cairnes. Maps not yet published.

MAPS RECENTLY ISSUED:

- 1142. CANADA. General Map of Canada. Scale 100 miles to 1 inch.
- 2077. Map 91A. Geological Map of the Dominion of Canada and Newfoundland. Scale 100 miles to 1 inch.
- 1133. NOVA SCOTIA. Map 13A. Kingsport sheet. Nova Scotia, No. 84. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch.
- 1208. Map 53A. Southeast Nova Scotia. Scale 4 miles to 1 inch.
- 1181. NEW BRUNSWICK. Memoir No. 29. Reconnaissance Map of Parts of Albert and Westmoreland Counties, N.B. Geology and topography. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch.
- 1178. QUEBEC. Map 32A. Larder Lake and Opasatika Lake, Nipissing, Abitibi and Pontiac, Ontario and Quebec. Geological. Scale 2 miles to 1 inch.
- 750. ONTARIO. Grenville Sheet. Parts of Counties of Ottawa, Argenteuil, Terrebonne, Two Mountains and Vaudreuil, Quebec and Carleton, Prescott and Glenora, Ontario. Geology. Scale 4 miles to 1 inch. Reprint.
- 1177. Map 31A. Larder Lake, Nipissing District, Ontario. Geology. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch.
- 1244. Map 64A. Advance Geological Copy of Map of Gowganda Mining Division and vicinity. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch.
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- 1237. Map 62A. Nelson and vicinity, British Columbia. Geology and Topography. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch.
- 1080. YUKON AND NORTHWEST TERRITORIES. Map 9A. Explored Routes on parts of the Albany, Severn and Winisk Rivers. Scale 8 miles to 1 inch.

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